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### The Laborer.

There is a very sensible article in the Cincinnati for May, on the so-called dignity of labor. It is far above the ordinary range of thought, and shows that courage is the cause of truth, which is so sadly wanting in these days. It faces the delusions which prevail, especially at this patriotic season, in such lavish abundance. The preparations for our Fourth of July are just beginning; and we recommend the orators of the day, throughout the State, to read what the Agricultural Journal referred to, has to say on a favorite subject of display. They will find it replete with instructive suggestions from one who has evidently written on considerable reflection, and after making up his mind what to say—and that it was his duty to do so in all sincerity. The honesty of the writer, is a refreshing feature of the times. He has put in a good word in a good season, and with a hearty good will. We can not but hope that it will germinate in the manly breasts of the laborers, not only agricultural, but of all other pursuits.

The proper dignity of labor, the Cincinnati correspondent holds to be found in the scale of the laborer's mental and moral improvement; as he ascends or descends, intellectually and morally, so does he rise or fall in consequence for the business of life. And he demonstrates that as long as he is not self-elevated by his talent, knowledge and character, he must, and he should, occupy a lower position in society. He that looks to others to do for him what he might accomplish himself, cannot lead, but must follow. The law of order in human nature is as irresistible as the natural law of gravitation.

But the writer does not sufficiently show how labor is to begin to achieve its position. How are the masses who toil to obey that strong instinct, to improve one's condition, which is the highest law of man? They are not only to be told to improve, but shown how to improve; and not only shown how to improve, but made aware of all the obstacles to their improvement. We will, occasionally, call the attention of our readers to this subject, not found in party platforms; not heard from party speakers; not discussed by the party papers. In a time of profound peace, we are living under many of the disabilities of war; and we suffer, imperceptibly, those wrongs which actual conflict cannot exaggerate in kind nor in degree. None of our readers can fail to see, in the wholesale destruction of life in Italy,—by hostility which is probably dynastic only, and certainly led on by despots—the wretched position of the rank and file in Europe, especially at this moment. A few conspicuous officers fell at Montebello; but as many as three thousand soldiers, young, robust and full of usefulness, were also cut down, like a field of early corn, by the last frost. As many men perished that day, as are to be found in Covington—one-third as many as all the men in this county, outside the city. If such a calamity were to happen on this continent, as it never has yet happened, it would fill the millions of our people with horror and amazement. And the horrid trade of war, which involves so much sacrifice, and destruction of property and life, produces for the people no results at all adequate to the cost. It is not proposed by warriors to benefit the people, but to advance their own fortunes and ambition. Ambitious schemes are sometimes over-ruled for good, and civilization promoted by the shock of battles. But we hope that the cost of the present European struggle, will be counted by the intelligent masses of this country; and that our enlightened opinion may be expressed, at the proper period, in favor of a change of system there, instead of a simple change of masters, here, then, that we trust our people may look closer into their own condition, to ascertain in what they are themselves suffering in a Republic during the calm of absolute tranquillity; and if they find that they are not so truly free and happy as they deserve, that they will amend the fault if theirs, and reform it if it be the offence of others.

By the arrival of the Africa at New York, yesterday, we are supplied with additional details of the battle of Montebello, though not with later news.

The Austrians are evidently determined to "whistle loud to keep their spirits up," for they express themselves quite satisfied with the results of the battle. Probably they had apprehended a sounder drubbing than they received. It is to be feared that Gen. Gyalai was guilty

of an act of suppression *veri* when he stated that his loss amounted only to 290 killed, 718 wounded, and 283 missing. But let us hope that his representation is true—that the result has been less sanguinary than former reports have made it.

If it can be shown that the Austrian estimate of the number of the Allied troops is correct, then, indeed, the glory of the Allied victory is not deserving of special praise. But the French say that the Austrian report is at variance with the actual number the Allies brought into the field, by about 35,000. They allege that the number of the Allies was only a little over 4,000, while the Austrians place it at 40,000—a discrepancy that surely requires some explanation.

EVERETT has been trying to lay upon the gallantry of her great man, and with the usual adroitness of "clever" ladies, has appealed to their sympathies towards "a woman and her child;" apparently oblivious of the fact that there may be, at this moment, another "woman and her child" watching the course of events with an anxiety which betokens something like an aspiration to Royal, if not Imperial honors.

The reports from England, Germany, France, Italy, &c., are increasingly interesting. The seizure of the London Times, in the Paris Post Office, is a fact deserving of special note.

## COLUMBUS NEWS.

COLUMBUS, June 9. ADJOURNMENT OF THE MEDICAL CONVENTION.—After an important session of nearly three days, the Convention has adjourned, to meet at White Sulphur Springs, in June, 1860. The concluding business may be summed up as follows: Recognizing as auxiliary societies those of the town of Norwalk and of Jefferson county; the admission of Andrew Saline, M. D., of this city, to membership; the discussion of papers presented by Dr. Curtin, of Cleveland, upon "A Substitute for Mercury" and "Valvular Disease of the Heart," the first being tabled, and the second referred to the Publishing Committee; appointing a Committee of three to report upon urinary diseases; reading of Report on Surgery, by Dr. Hamilton, the being referred to the Committee on the Medical and Surgical Reports of the Convention; the reading of the report of the Committee on Ethics, maintaining the conduct of Dr. Hamilton in a grown-up feud existing between that gentleman and Dr. Morris. The Convention adjourned to Armory Hall, where a lengthy and able address was delivered by Dr. M. B. Wright, of Cincinnati—subject, drunkenness. After which those present attended a magnificent banquet given by Failing, of the Nell house, and to-day the medical gentlemen, en masse, attended the opening at White Sulphur.

THERE was a large attendance of juveniles at the Park, to-day, and young John is having an excellent good time with his picnic.

THE Sabbath school children, teachers, and Superintendent of Town street Methodist Episcopal Church, will hold their annual picnic at the Fair Grounds, to-morrow. Meeting in the church at eight A. M., umbrellas will be in attendance, to convey all who may desire to attend. The ladies of Trinity held their festival at Armory Hall, last evening, and a gay throng was present. The members of Universalist Church, are in the woods, to-day, pleasure seeking.

THE Police last evening made a descent upon a low drinking shop in the north-east end of the city, and succeeded in arresting six young gentlemen of Jack Sheppard proclivities. They were lodged in the City Prison, and this morning being arraigned before the Mayor, gave names as follows: Frank Weston, alias "Baltimore Dave," Geo. A. Kellison, John Edgar, alias "the black and white" printer, although the craft here do not know him; Henry Everett; Henry Whitney, and Wm. Morrison. Gentlemen in the city from Baltimore recognize almost the entire party, and it is probable that they all belong there. Upon the person of Everett was found about \$60 in notes on the Howard Bank of Baltimore, and the fact that they came over the Xenia road with an old gentleman named Diehl, who on the route was robbed of \$50 in similar currency, drew suspicion to them, while upon the person of Morrison were found outsiders, skeleton keys, &c., which tend more strongly to convict them. The gentleman who was robbed not being present, the boys were fined \$5 each and sent to bread-and-water for ten days.

ABOUT eleven o'clock last evening, the night-watchmen at the American Hotel discerned an old negro concealed in the store-room of that establishment. He was taken to the city prison and this morning recognized as an old porter, employed about five years since in the State Auditor's office, in which capacity he acquired the title of "Governor," the only name possibly he ever bore. When asked by an ex-clerk of that office where he spent the time intervening since his dismissal, he replied, "in Liverpool, South America." He is now making a tour of a cell in the county jail, having been committed upon the charge of burglary.

A SPECIAL meeting of the City Council was held last evening, in which, after a sitting of five hours, nothing was done except the passage of a resolution making the tax assessment for all purposes five mills on the dollar valuation. The total assessment, as it now stands, will amount to something over \$8,000.

MRS. ROSE, Dr. Aiken, of the Goodale House, was compelled to quit a wild conversation, which seized the colored portion of his servants, on Tuesday. One of their number, named Lott Nickens, employed in the dining room, after working faithfully until near tea time, left his place and went to the residence of a friend in the eastern part of the city, where he was soon after seized with cramp, and died in less than an hour. When the news reached the ears of his fellow-servants at the hotel, they conceived that he had been administered to the entire lot (it), and commenced casting up their accounts at a terrific rate. They were quieted, however, and a post mortem is now being held upon the person of deceased, who, it is thought, committed suicide. He was a widower, and was to have been married Sunday next.

GOOD FROM EVIL.—Accounts from different parts of Canada West state that a severe frost on Saturday night (4th inst.) has done most serious damage to fruit, potatoes, corn and garden vegetables. Wheat is uninjured, and it is thought the effect of the frost may be destructive to the fly, which was beginning to appear in some sections. Reports from Buffalo are not so discouraging as those from other places. The frost is a calamity, but not so great as it might be. Corn is killed, but there is time to replant, and we may hope that the district covered by the frost is not very extensive. As in all such cases, there are some compensating benefits—some sources of consolation. When the farmer's big boy died, the old man found time in his grief to recollect that "Bill" was a monstrous eater! This frost has killed the grasshoppers, which were getting alarmingly plenty, and has put a general stopper on the more destructive varieties of insect life.

A SAD DEATH.—Among the passengers on Saturday for Portsmouth, Ohio, on the Western Messenger, were some relations of Mr. P. C. Gunn, of this city. The party consisted of Mr. John H. Gunn and lady, and Mrs. Simmon Gunn and little daughter, some six or eight years old. They had long intended visiting their relations in this place, and for that purpose left their homes, near Olney, Illinois, last Thursday morning. On their arrival at Cincinnati, Mrs. Simmon Gunn, complaining of being unwell, they laid over a day there, and started on Friday evening, on the Messenger, she appearing quite well enough to come on. Before arriving here, she went into a relapse, and when the boat touched at our landing, she was just on the point of death, and before the steamer left she was a corpse.—Portsmouth, O., Tribune.

Mrs. Fleming, the actress, died at Savannah, Ga., on the 24 inst. She was the daughter of Mr. Chippendale, formerly of the Park theater, in New York city, and the wife of William M. Fleming, recently one of the proprietors of the National Theater, Boston, and manager of several other theaters in the United States.

## The American Party at Cincinnati inaugurates Independent State Action. A Mass Meeting of a Third Party is Called.

In consequence of a dissatisfaction at the overthrow of Judge Swan—as charged on fanatical grounds—and for a direct assault on American principles, of legislation in Massachusetts, by the recent Republican Convention of Ohio, the Americans of Hamilton county held a quasi indignation meeting last night, at Smith & Nixon's Hall, and formally re-organized a distinct party in Ohio.

ORGANIZATION.  
The following officers were appointed:  
President—George Kerk.  
Vice-President—Joseph K. Smith, Saunders Hartshorn, William Schultz, H. Wilson Brown, Geo. W. Casey, Joseph Rosebraugh, Pollock Wilson, Capt. Jos. Pierce, J. R. Delore, John H. Trimble, James Harwood, of Storrs; A. W. Taber, Miami; John Ludlow, Mill Creek; Christ, Constable, Sycamore; Capt. Roberts, Springfield.

On motion of Cassway Brashers, Hon. Lewis D. Campbell, of Hamilton, Butler County, was called upon to address the meeting, during the absence of the committee.

Mr. C. was received with a round of applause, and in a short address sought to disabuse the public mind of misrepresentations current, that either Thos. Corwin or himself had, at the recent Convention, sought to infuse Americanism into the platform—what he had done was to earnestly labor to do no more than to affirm the former resolves of the Republicans. Yet, under the force of the determined threats of a German, Mr. Jacob, a modification of the resolution on the Nationalization question, once carried, on suggestion of Joseph Cox, of this city, was reconsidered, and the offensive language now in the platform, was adopted. This action was considered a deliberate insult to the conservative element of the Opposition Party. Our limits will not admit of a protracted report.

Mr. Probasco, from committee on resolutions, presented the following:

PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTION.  
The Republican party of Ohio in its recent Convention, as well by its resolves, as by its nomination, has shown itself subservient to the insidious dictation of foreignism on the one hand, and the arrogant demands of fanaticism on the other; thus assailing around both anti-American and sectional, alike disastrous, and offensive to Americans and National men of all parties.

The Democratic party has proved itself utterly false to the great doctrine of Non-Interference, by the unwarrantable interference of its present Administration in the local affairs of our Territories, and the purpose of suppressing or preventing the popular will of the people. It has for many years fostered, and still encourages, an undue foreign influence in the policy of our country, for mere party purposes, and it sustains its present Administration in a reckless and profligate extravagance, which avails anything in the history of our country, and gives great cause of alarm.

We therefore believe it to be the duty of the American Party (disavowing all sympathy or co-operation with either of these parties) to assume its proper and legitimate position of independence.

Resolved, That we recommend a Mass Convention of the conservative citizens of Ohio, to be held in Cincinnati on Wednesday, July 26th, to nominate a State ticket, which shall reflect the opinion of all who are in favor of sustaining an honest and independent judiciary, who are in favor of non-interference by Congress, in the local affairs of our Territories, who oppose an unwarrantable foreign influence in our politics, and who are desirous to see under all circumstances will maintain the integrity of our Federal Union.

Mr. Probasco wished to go further and use this occasion to establish a National Conservative party, including in his programme a series of views in reference to Tariff, Retrenchment, &c.; also, as to an extended term of residence in this country for foreigners than now provided before they are admitted to citizenship.

These were finally withdrawn, but being suggested that they would be suitable matters for consideration, when a Mass Convention of the State was held. Scott Harrison, Esq., being called on, congratulated the people that the conservatives of Ohio had read their fellowship with extreme Republicans, and for himself, had no tears to shed at the revolution now made of their intolerance and radicalism. He hoped that the American sentiment would again be predominant in Ohio.

The resolution and preamble were adopted, and the President and Committee were authorized to name a Committee of ten to arrange for a Mass State Convention.

FREE MAIL MATTER.—The Post Office Department, for the purpose of ascertaining the exact amount which would accrue to the revenue of the General Post Office if postage were paid upon all the matter which is now transmitted through the mails free of charge, is about issuing a circular directing postmasters to keep a daily account of additional revenue which would accrue to their respective post offices if postage was paid upon free mail matter. It is proposed to have these accounts commence with the first day of July next, to continue for five quarters, and returns thereof to be transmitted quarterly to the Post Office Department.

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